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REMARKS

This is UNEVALUATED Information

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On 16 February 1954, two units from the Artillerie Kaserne (4601) were entrained for Genthin at the Kuestrin-Kietz railroad station, leaving on 17 February via Frankfurt/Oder. The two trains carried each 8 x 37-mm AA guns, 1 field kitchen, 17 to 20 motor vehicles, about 120 troops wearing red-bordered black epaulets, billeting and sports equipment and ration supplies. After the departure of these units, the installation was occupied by about 400 troops wearing red-bordered black epaulets. Between 17 and 21 February, an undetermined number of troops received instruction on 37-mm and 85-mm AA guns and machine guns on tripods in the training area.

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Comment. The loadings probably involved light units of the 32d AAA Div which, transferred to Altengrabow

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